

(SRI B. D. JATTI)

sections together and asked whether there was any difference, but there was no difference at all.

Sri D. ABDUL RASHID.—In order to avoid this trouble, will the Government help the Muslims to get the right of passage by acquiring a small piece of land in the sugar cane field?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—If an application is presented by the Muslims to the Revenue authorities, that will be considered.

Sri D. ABDUL RASHID.—May I know on whose report the Police Inspector removed the carcass and the flesh of the pig without making a panchanama?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The Hon'ble Member did not follow my reply. I have already stated the Police Sub-Inspector had prepared a panchanama.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Cattle fairs in the State.

*Q.—377. Sri M. P. PATIL (Hukkeri).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of cattle fairs held in the State where more than one thousand cattle collect;

(b) the total number of cattle which had come to these fairs last year;

(c) the total income derived last year by institutions organising these fairs by way of taxes on the cattle and their owners and sale of manure collected in these fairs;

(d) the total amount spent last year on managing these fairs and providing amenities to the cattle and their owners.

(e) the total amount of surplus funds which these institutions saved last year?

A.—Sri K. F. PATIL (Minister for Agriculture and Food).—

(a) 132.

(b) 12,35,805.

(c) Rs. 3,48,833-13.

(d) Rs. 1,77,545-76.

(e) Rs. 1,85,701-39.

Accommodation to the Scheduled Caste students in the Scheduled Caste Hostel at Gulbarga.

*Q.—421. Sri J. P. SARWESH (Serum).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government, in spite of several representations submitted last year by the Scheduled Caste students and Scheduled Caste public workers, has failed to provide accommodation in the Scheduled Caste hostel at Gulbarga;

(b) whether it is not a fact that 80 Scheduled Caste students were refused admission in the Scheduled Caste hostel of Gulbarga, last year;

(c) what steps Government have taken to increase the strength of the above hostel?

A.—Sri N. RACHIAH (Minister for Social Welfare, Excise and Prohibition).—

(a) Accommodation upto the maximum possible limit was made available at Gulbarga.

(b) Only 60 students were refused admission at Gulbarga Hostel, as it was unwieldy to manage more than 175 boarders in that hostel. However they were promised admission in Mahagaon Hostel where there are equal opportunities for education and accommodation.

(c) Government has been encouraging private Hostels to accommodate the increasing number of students and a number of Hostels are being given Grants-in-Aid. Government has also decided to construct a new Hostel building at Gulbarga at a cost of Rs. one lakh during 1959-60.